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<b>UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA - SAN FERNANDO VALLEY DIVISION</b>	
In re:  Ari David Alexenburg,  Debtor,  Daphne Yadegar,  Plaintiff,  v.  Ari David Alexenburg,  Defendant.  Debtor(s).	CASE NO.: 1:22-ap-01049-VK CHAPTER: 7  <b>NOTICE OF MOTION FOR:</b>  By Defendant Ari David Alexenburg For Order Dismissing Complaint By Plaintiff Daphne Yadegar, Without Leave To Amend, For Failure To State A Claim For Relief Puruant To Federal Rule Of Bankruptcy Procedure 7012(b)(6)  <b>(Specify name of Motion)</b>  DATE: 11/09/2022 TIME: 2:00 pm COURTROOM: 301 PLACE: 21041 Burbank Boulevard Third Floor Woodland Hills, California 91367

1. TO (specify name): Plaintiff Daphne Yadegar And Her Attorney Of Record
2. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the following date and time and in the indicated courtroom, Movant in the above-captioned matter will move this court for an Order granting the relief sought as set forth in the Motion and accompanying supporting documents served and filed herewith. Said Motion is based upon the grounds set forth in the attached Motion and accompanying documents.
3. **Your rights may be affected.** You should read these papers carefully and discuss them with your attorney, if you have one. (If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one.)

4. **Deadline for Opposition Papers:** This Motion is being heard on regular notice pursuant to LBR 9013-1. If you wish to oppose this Motion, you must file a written response with the court and serve a copy of it upon the Movant or Movant's attorney at the address set forth above no less than fourteen (14) days prior to the above hearing date. If you fail to file a written response to this Motion within such time period, the court may treat such failure as a waiver of your right to oppose the Motion and may grant the requested relief.
5. **Hearing Date Obtained Pursuant to Judge's Self-Calendaring Procedure:** The undersigned hereby verifies that the above hearing date and time were available for this type of Motion according to the judge's self-calendaring procedures.

Date: 10/03/2022

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/s/ Jeffrey J Hagen  
Signature

Jeffrey J Hagen  
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10 UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
11 SAN FERNANDO VALLEY DIVISION

In re:	)	Case No. <b>1:22-bk-10695-VK</b>
	)	Chapter 7
<b>Ari David Alexenburg,</b>	)	Adv. No. <b>1:22-ap-01049-VK</b>
	)	
Debtor,	)	<b>MOTION BY DEFENDANT ARI</b>
	)	<b>DAVID ALEXENBURG FOR ORDER</b>
	)	<b>DISMISSING COMPLAINT BY</b>
<b>Daphne Yadegar,</b>	)	<b>PLAINTIFF DAPHNE YADEGAR,</b>
	)	<b>WITHOUT LEAVE TO AMEND, FOR</b>
Plaintiff,	)	<b>FAILURE TO STATE A CLAIM</b>
	)	<b>FOR RELIEF PURSUANT TO</b>
v.	)	<b>FEDERAL RULE OF BANKRUPTCY</b>
	)	<b>PROCEDURE 7012 (b) (6) ;</b>
<b>Ari David Alexenburg,</b>	)	
	)	<b>MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND</b>
Defendant.	)	<b>AUTHORITIES;</b>
	)	
	)	<b>DECLARATION OF DEFENDANT</b>
	)	<b>ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG</b>
	)	
	)	Date: 11/09/2022
	)	Time: 02:00pm
	)	Courtroom: 301 by Zoom.gov
	)	

24 To: The Honorable Victoria S. Kaufman, United States  
25 Bankruptcy Judge And Plaintiff Daphne Yadegar And Her Attorneys,  
26 Law Offices Of Eric Bryan Seuthe & Associates:  
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1 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg hereby moves this Court For An  
2 Order Dismissing Complaint By Plaintiff Daphne Yadegar, Filed  
3 09/22/2022, Docket Number 5, Without Leave To Amend, For Failure To  
4 State A Claim For Relief Pursuant To Federal Rule Of Bankruptcy  
5 Procedure 7012(b)(6).

6 **PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that this Motion is being brought  
7 pursuant to Federal Rule Of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6) as made  
8 applicable in bankruptcy contexts pursuant to Federal Rules Of  
9 Bankruptcy Procedure 7012(b)(6) and is based upon the accompanying  
10 Memorandum Of Points And Authorities, the Court's files, records in  
11 this Adversary Proceeding, the main bankruptcy case, and such other  
12 evidence and arguments as may properly come before this Court.  
13 Federal Rule Of Civil Procedure 12, 'Defenses and Objections: When  
14 and How Presented; Motion for Judgment on the Pleadings;  
15 Consolidating Motions; Waiving Defenses; Pretrial Hearing,' states:

16 (B) How to Present Defenses. Every defense to a claim  
17 for relief in any pleading must be asserted in the  
18 responsive pleading if one is required. But a party may  
19 assert the following defenses by motion:

20 (1) lack of subject-matter jurisdiction;

21 (2) lack of personal jurisdiction;

22 (3) improper venue;

23 (4) insufficient process;

24 (5) insufficient service of process;

25 (6) failure to state a claim upon which relief  
26 can be granted; and

27 (7) failure to join a party under Rule 19.

28 A motion asserting any of these defenses must be made  
before pleading if a responsive pleading is allowed. If  
a pleading sets out a claim for relief that does not

1 require a responsive pleading, an opposing party may  
2 assert at trial any defense to that claim. No defense or  
3 objection is waived by joining it with one or more other  
defenses or objections in a responsive pleading or in a  
motion.

4 F.R.Civ.P. 12(b)(6).

5 Federal Rule Of Bankruptcy Procedure 7012, 'Defenses and  
6 Objections,' subsection (b), 'Applicability of Rule 12(b)-(i)'  
7 states:

8 Rule 12-(b)-(I) F.R.Civ.P. applies in adversary  
9 proceedings. A responsive pleading shall include a  
statement that the party does or does not consent to entry  
of final orders or judgment by the bankruptcy court.

10 F.R.B.P. 12(b).

11 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg consents to entry of a final  
12 order or judgment by this Bankruptcy Court.

13 **PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that the hearing on this matter is  
14 set for Wednesday 11/09/2022 at 0200pm by Zoom.gov.

15 **PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE** that pursuant to Local Bankruptcy  
16 Rule 9013-1(a)(7), any opposition to the relief sought in this  
17 Motion must be in writing pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 9013-  
18 1(f), filed with the Court and served on Defendant Ari David  
19 Alexenburg's counsel no less than fourteen days prior to the  
20 hearing date. Failure to timely file and serve an opposition may  
21 be deemed by the Court consent to granting of the requested in the  
22 Motion.

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I

**FACTUAL BACKGROUND**

1. On 02/28/2020 Plaintiff Yadegar was a passenger in a 2006 BMW 525i vehicle traveling northbound on the 405 Interstate north of Nordhoff Street.

2. Also on 02/28/2020, Defendant Ari David Alexenburg, then-age 40, was the driver of another vehicle, a 2009 Toyota Camry, that was also traveling northbound on the 405 Interstate north of Nordhoff Street.

3. The 2009 Toyota Camry vehicle that Defendant Ari David Alexenburg was driving was registered to and owned by his mother, Rochelle Alexenburg.

4. Defendant Ari David Alexenburg's 2009 Toyota Camry vehicle accidentally rear-ended the 2006 BMW 525i vehicle in which Plaintiff Yadegar was a passenger. The 2006 BMW 525i then proceeded to rear-end a truck that was in front of the 2006 BMW 525i vehicle.

5. Defendant Ari David Alexenburg was not under the influence of drugs or alcohol at the time of the accident, nor have there been any allegations or insinuations that he was.

6. Although Defendant Ari David Alexenburg had been licensed to drive in the state of New York when he turned 18 years of age in 1997 and until his license expired in 2015, he did not have a current driver's license at the time of the 02/28/2020 automobile accident.

7. Although Defendant Ari David Alexenburg and was not covered by Rochelle Alexenburg's automobile insurance policy,

1 neither he nor Rochelle Alexenburg realized that Defendant Ari  
2 David Alexenburg wasn't covered under Rochelle Alexenburg's  
3 automobile insurance policy until after the 02/28/2020 accident  
4 when they reported the accident to her carrier.

5 8. Neither Defendant Ari David Alexenburg nor Rochelle  
6 Alexenburg had ever met Plaintiff Yadegar, or for that matter the  
7 driver of the 2006 BMW 525i vehicle in which Plaintiff Yadegar was  
8 a passenger, or the driver of the truck, prior to 02/28/2020. Nor  
9 was the accident in any way a road rage incident. The accident was  
10 just that, an accident, and was purely a result of, at worst,  
11 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg's negligence.

12 9. Contrary to the allegations made by Plaintiff Yadegar,  
13 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg did not attempt to leave the scene  
14 of the accident. The driver of the truck who was hit by the 2006  
15 BMW 525i vehicle came up to Defendant Ari David Alexenburg's  
16 vehicle and urged him to pull the 2009 Toyota Camry over to  
17 shoulder, which he did. The driver of the truck then called 911 to  
18 report the accident and for an ambulance. When the ambulance  
19 arrived, the paramedic felt that Defendant Ari David Alexenburg  
20 needed to be transported to the hospital. After a CHP officer  
21 questioned Defendant Ari David Alexenburg, the ambulance took him  
22 to the hospital. No attempts by Defendant Ari David Alexenburg  
23 were made to leave the scene or to avoid providing identification  
24 and what he thought was current insurance information.

25 10. Plaintiff Yadegar, represented by Law Offices Of Eric  
26 Bryan Seuthe & Associates, initiated a 'Complaint For Damages:  
27 Motor Vehicle Negligence' lawsuit in Los Angeles County Superior  
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1 Court, case number 20STCV10613, on or about 03/17/2020 against both  
2 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg and Rochelle Alexenburg asserting  
3 personal injuries suffered in the 02/28/2020 automobile accident.  
4 A true and correct copy of Plaintiff Yadegar's Superior Court  
5 lawsuit is attached as Exhibit 1.

6 11. Although Plaintiff Yadegar's Superior Court lawsuit  
7 describes Defendant Ari David Alexenburg as having driven  
8 negligently, recklessly and carelessly and describes Rochelle  
9 Alexenburg as having negligently entrusted, managed, and maintained  
10 the 2009 Toyota Camry vehicle, nothing in the Superior Court  
11 lawsuit alleges willful and/or malicious conduct on the part of  
12 either Defendant Ari David Alexenburg or Rochelle Alexenburg.

13 12. Defendant Ari David Alexenburg filed a Chapter 7  
14 voluntary bankruptcy case in the Central District Of California's  
15 San Fernando Valley Division on 06/11/2022.

16 13. It should be noted that Rochelle Alexenburg also filed a  
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22 and Rochelle Alexenburg filed their bankruptcy cases. The Superior  
23 Court lawsuit remains stayed as a result of the bankruptcy filings.

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25 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg as well as against Rochelle  
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1 complaints, on 09/21/2022 (Docket Number 3) and a second amended  
2 complaint on 09/21/2022 (Docket Number 5).

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4 amended, asserts:

5 Debtor ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG acted with intent and malice  
6 every moment he drove without a license, without skill  
7 and knowledge of how to drive. For every second he was  
8 on the road he was knowingly, willfully and intentionally  
9 endangering other drivers on the road.

10 17. Paragraph 14 of Plaintiff Yadegar's Complaint, as  
11 amended, asserts:

12 Additionally when Debtor ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG attempted  
13 to leave the scene without giving his information or  
14 admitting his actions he did so willfully and with the  
15 intent to prevent Plaintiff/Creditor from collecting for  
16 ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG's wrongdoing.

17 **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

18 **II**

19 **LEGAL STANDARD**

20 Federal Rule Of Civil Procedure 12(b)(6), made applicable in  
21 bankruptcy matters by way of Federal Rule Of Bankruptcy Procedure  
22 7012(b)(6), provides a mechanism to test the legal sufficiency of  
23 averments in the complaint. Dismissal is appropriate when the  
24 complaint "fail[s] to state a claim upon which relief can be  
25 granted." A complaint must be dismissed under FRCP Rule 12(b)(6)  
26 if it either lacks a cognizable legal theory or lacks sufficient  
27 facts alleged under a cognizable legal theory. Balistreri v.  
28 Pacifica Police Department, 901 F.2d 696, 699 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 1990).  
Dismissal under Federal Rule Of Civil Procedure 12(b) is  
appropriate only when the complaint (1) "lacks a cognizable theory"  
or (2) lacks "sufficient facts to support a cognizable legal

theory.” Mendiondo v. Centinela Hosp. Med. Ctr. 521 F.3d 1097,  
1104 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2008).

To survive a motion to dismiss under FRCP 12(b)(6), a  
plaintiff must allege sufficient facts to raise a right to relief  
above the speculative level, that is, a claim for relief that is  
plausible on its face. Bell Atl. Corp. V. Twombly, 550 U.S. 544,  
555-56 (2007). “A claim has facial plausibility when the plaintiff  
pleads factual content that allows the court to draw the reasonable  
inference that the defendant is liable for the misconduct alleged.”  
See, e.g., Wilson v. Hewlett-Packard Co., 668 F.3d 1136, 1140 (9<sup>th</sup>  
Cir. 2012) (citations omitted) (quoting Ashcroft v. Iqbal, 556 U.S.  
662, 678 (2009)). Assessing whether a complaint “states a  
plausible claim for relief” is a “context-specific task that  
requires the reviewing court to draw on its judicial experience and  
common sense” and to look for “more than the mere possibility of  
misconduct.” Iqbal, *supra*, 556 U.S. at 679.

### III

**PLAINTIFF YADEGAR HAS FAILED TO DEMONSTRATE A PLAUSIBLE  
CLAIM FOR HER RELIEF THAT DEFENDANT ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG’S  
OBLIGATION TO HER OUGHT TO BE NONDISCHARGEABLE  
PURSUANT TO 11 U.S.C. SECTION 523(a)(6).**

Bankruptcy Code Section 523(a) provides that:

A discharge under § 727...does not discharge an  
individual debtor from any debt-

...

(6) for willful and malicious injury by the  
debtor to another entity or to the property of  
another entity.

11 U.S.C. § 523(a)(6). To prevail on a claim under Section 523(a)(6), a creditor must show three elements: (1) willful conduct, (2) malice; and (3) causation. See In re Butcher, 200 B.R. 675, 680 (Bankr. C.D. Cal. 1996) (quoting In re Apte, 180 B.R. 223, 230 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. BAP 1995); see also In re Barboza, 545 F.3d 702, 706 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2008) (holding that the malicious injury requirement is separate from the willful injury requirement); Ormsby v. First American Title Company Of Nevada, 591 F.3d 1199, 1206 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2010) (holding that 'willful' and 'malicious' are both required elements to establish nondischargeability under Section 523(a)(6)). A willful and malicious injury under this provision requires proof of a "deliberate or intentional injury, not merely a deliberate or intentional act that leads to injury." Kawaauhau v. Geiger, 523 U.S. 57, 61 (1998).

An injury is willful when "the debtor subjectively intended to cause injury to the creditor, or the debtor subjectively believed that the injury was substantially certain to occur to the creditor as a result of her actions." In re Chunchai Yu, BAP No. CC-16-1045-KuFD, 2016 WL 4261655, at \*3 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. BAP 08/11/2016); see also In re Ormsby, 591 F.3d 1199, 1207 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2010) ("The [d]ebtor is charged with the knowledge of the natural consequences of his actions."); Bankers Healthcare Grp., LLC v. Moss (In re Moss), 598 B.R. 508, 518 (Bankr. N.D. Ga. 2019) ("For a failure to pay loans, the debtor must have 'acted with a specific intent to cause economic injury, or knew injury was substantially certain to result, from his failing to remit payment on the subject loans,' for § 523(a)(6) to be indicated.") (citations omitted). If the act

1 was intentional and the debtor knew that it would necessarily cause  
2 injury, 'willful' intent does not require that the debtor has had  
3 the specific intent to injure the creditor. In re Jercich, 238  
4 F.3d, 1202, 1207 (9<sup>th</sup> Cir. 2001). 'Willful' means 'voluntary' or  
5 'intentional.' Kawaauhau, 523 U.S. at 61-62 (citations omitted).

6 An injury is malicious when it involves: (1) a wrongful act;  
7 (2) done intentionally; (3) which necessarily causes injury; and  
8 (4) is done without just cause or excuse. In re Barboza, 545 F.3d  
9 at 706 (quoting In re Jercich, 238 F.3d at 1209). This definition  
10 "does not require a showing of biblical malice, i.e., personal  
11 hatred, spite, or ill will." In re Bammer, 131 F.3d 788, 791 (9<sup>th</sup>  
12 Cir. 1997). The Supreme Court narrowly held that  
13 "nondischargeability takes a deliberate or intentional injury, not  
14 merely a deliberate or intentional act that leads to injury."  
15 Kawaauhau, 523 U.S. at 61 (citations omitted).

16 Does Plaintiff Yadegar have a valid case in Los Angeles County  
17 Superior Court that because Defendant Ari David Alexenburg drove  
18 his vehicle negligently and caused an accident resulting in  
19 Plaintiff Yadegar suffering personal injuries, Defendant Ari David  
20 Alexenburg ought to be liable for those damages? Presumably yes.  
21 But has Plaintiff Yadegar plead any facts in either the Los Angeles  
22 County Superior Court or here in this bankruptcy adversary  
23 proceeding that would suggest that such liability ought to survive  
24 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg's Chapter 7 bankruptcy? No, not  
25 even close.

26 There was no willfulness on the part of Defendant Ari David  
27 Alexenburg. He did not 'subjectively intend to cause injury' to

1 Plaintiff Yadegar, nor did he 'subjectively believe that injury was  
2 substantially certain to occur' to Plaintiff Yadegar as a result of  
3 his actions. Defendant Ari David Alexenburg, who does in fact know  
4 how to drive a vehicle, did not intend to cause injury to anyone,  
5 nor did he believe that injury was substantially certain to occur  
6 to anyone simply by driving his mother's vehicle. And allegations  
7 that he attempted to leave the scene of the accident, while not  
8 terribly relevant to the issue, is simply false.

9 There was no malice on the part of Defendant Ari David  
10 Alexenburg. If, as the Supreme Court stated in Kawaauhau,  
11 "nondischargeability takes a deliberate or intentional injury, not  
12 merely a deliberate or intentional act that leads to injury," how  
13 can driving a vehicle, whether licensed or not, constitute an  
14 intent to cause a deliberate or intentional injury? The answer is  
15 that it cannot. If Defendant Ari David Alexenburg knew Plaintiff  
16 Yadegar and was attempting to use his vehicle as a weapon that  
17 might be one thing, but such facts have not be alleged because such  
18 facts do not exist.

19 Plaintiff Yadegar has alleged no facts that would suggest that  
20 the requisite degree of willfulness and/or malice on the part of  
21 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg is present in this case. Nor can  
22 she, because such facts simply don't exist. It was, pure and  
23 simple, a garden variety automobile accident and any resulting  
24 liability on the part of Defendant Ari David Alexenburg should  
25 accordingly be, as a result of the 09/29/2022 Clerk's entry of  
26 Defendant Ari David Alexenburg's Chapter 7 discharge, deemed  
27 discharged.

IV

**CONCLUSION**

**WHEREFORE**, Defendant Ari David Alexenburg prays that this Court grant his Motion For An Order Dismissing Complaint, Filed 09/22/2022, Docket Number 5, By Plaintiff Daphne Yadegar, Without Leave To Amend, For Failure To State A Claim For Relief Pursuant To Federal Rule Of Bankruptcy Procedure 7012(b)(6), enter an Order accordingly, and for such other and further relief as this Court may deem just and proper.

Dated: 10/03/2022

**Law Offices Of Hagen & Hagen**

By: /s/ Jeffrey J Hagen  
**Jeffrey J Hagen**  
Attorneys For Defendant  
Ari David Alexenburg

**DECLARATION OF DEFENDANT ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG**

I, Ari David Alexenburg, declare:

1. I am the Defendant herein.

2. I am personally familiar with the facts stated.

3. On 02/28/2020 Plaintiff Yadegar was a passenger in a 2006 BMW 525i vehicle traveling northbound on the 405 Interstate north of Nordhoff Street.

4. Also on 02/28/2020, I, then-age 40, was the driver of another vehicle, a 2009 Toyota Camry, that was also traveling northbound on the 405 Interstate north of Nordhoff Street.

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6 malicious conduct on the part of either Rochelle Alexenburg or me.

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8 Central District Of California's San Fernando Valley Division on  
9 06/11/2022.

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19 well as against Rochelle Alexenburg, on 09/20/2022. She then  
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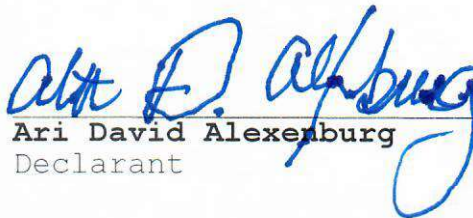
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6 intent to prevent Plaintiff/Creditor from collecting for  
7 ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG's wrongdoing.

8 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing  
9 statements are true and correct and I could if called upon  
10 competently testify thereto.

11 Executed this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of 10/2022 at Woodland Hills, California.

12   
13 Ari David Alexenburg  
14 Declarant

# Exhibit

# 1

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**SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES**

DAPHNE YADEGAR,

Plaintiff,

vs.

ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG; ROCHELLE  
H ALEXENBURG, and Does 1 through  
25, inclusive,

Defendants,

CASE NO: 20STCV10613

**COMPLAINT FOR DAMAGES**

Motor Vehicle  
Negligence

COMES NOW plaintiff DAPHNE YADEGAR, and for her cause(s) of action  
against the defendants and each of them, alleges as follows:

**FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION**

(For Negligence by DAPHNE YADEGAR,

Against all Defendants, and Each of Them)

1. All the acts complained of herein occurred in the County of Los Angeles,  
State of California.
2. That the true names and capacities, whether individual, corporate,

1 associate or otherwise of defendants, DOES 1 through 25, inclusive, are  
2 unknown to plaintiff at this time, who therefore sues said defendants by  
3 such fictitious names, and that when the true names and capacities of  
4 said defendants are ascertained, plaintiff will amend this complaint  
5 accordingly.

6 3. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that each of the  
7 defendants designated herein as a DOE is responsible in some manner  
8 for the events and happenings herein referred to and caused injury and  
9 damages proximately thereby to plaintiff, as herein alleged.

10 4. Plaintiff, DAPHNE YADEGAR, is and at all times herein mentioned was a  
11 resident of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

12 5. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that defendants, ARI  
13 DAVID ALEXENBURG and ROCHELLE H ALEXENBURG, is, and at all  
14 times herein mentioned, was a resident of the County of Los Angeles,  
15 State of California.

16 6. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that defendants,  
17 DOES 1 through 25, inclusive, are, and at all times herein mentioned,  
18 were residents of the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

19 7. That at all times herein mentioned, Northbound 405 Freeway 700 feet  
20 north of Nordhoff Blvd is in the County of Los Angeles, State of  
21 California.

22 8. That at all times herein mentioned, plaintiff DAPHNE YADEGAR was the  
23 passenger of a 2006, Silver, BMW 5251, a motor vehicle which was  
24 involved in the collision herein described.

25 9. Plaintiff is informed and believes that thereon alleges that defendant ARI  
26 DAVID ALEXENBURG was the operator of the 2009, Silver, Toyota,  
27 Camry, a motor vehicle, which was involved in the collision herein  
28

described.

10. Plaintiff is informed and believes that thereon alleges that defendant ROCHELLE H ALEXENBURG was the owner of the 2009, Silver, Toyota, Camry, a motor vehicle, which was involved in the collision herein described.

11. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that at all times herein mentioned, defendants ARI DAVID ALEXENBURG and ROCHELLE H ALEXENBURG, and DOES 1 through 25, inclusive, and each of them, was the operator and the owners of the 2009, Silver, Toyota, Camry, a motor vehicle, which was involved in the collision herein described.

12. Plaintiff is informed and believes and thereon alleges that at all times herein mentioned, each defendant was the agent, servant and employee of the remaining co-defendants and was acting within the course and scope of such agency, service and employment, with the knowledge, consent, and permission of the remaining co-defendants.

13. That on or about February 28, 2020, at the aforementioned place, while plaintiff was driving within the aforementioned motor vehicle, the defendants, and each of them, so negligently, recklessly, carelessly, entrusted, managed, maintained, drove and operated said defendants' motor vehicle, so as to cause the same to strike and collide with the plaintiff's vehicle described herein above, thereby proximately causing the plaintiff to be severely injured as described hereinafter, and further proximately causing the plaintiff to sustain damages, as hereinafter described.

14. That as a proximate result of the negligence of the defendants, and each of them, and DOES 1 through 25, and each of them, as herein alleged,

1 the plaintiff has suffered special damages in an amount according to  
2 proof.

3 15. That as a proximate and direct result of the negligence, recklessness and  
4 carelessness of the defendants, and each of them, plaintiff has sustained,  
5 and in the future is certain to sustain, disabling, serious and permanent  
6 injuries, pain, suffering and mental anguish in connection therewith, all to  
7 her general damages according to proof.

8 16. That as a further, direct and proximate result of the negligence,  
9 recklessness and carelessness of the defendants, and each of them,  
10 plaintiff has incurred and will in the future incur medical and sundry  
11 expenses in the examination, care and treatment of her injuries, and  
12 continuing to date, the exact nature and extent of which are unknown to  
13 plaintiff at this time, and plaintiff will ask leave of court to amend this  
14 complaint in this regard when the same are ascertained.

15 17. At the time of said injuries, plaintiff was employed in her usual occupation  
16 and as a further proximate result of the negligence of the defendants and  
17 each of them, and by reason of said injuries suffered by her, plaintiff was  
18 unable to attend her usual occupation and thereby lost earnings and  
19 earning capacity.

20 18. The full amount of such loss of earnings, past and future, is an amount  
21 which is currently unknown to plaintiff, and plaintiff will amend this  
22 complaint to state the full amount of such damages when it becomes  
23 known to her, or upon proof thereof.

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25 **WHEREFORE**, plaintiff prays for judgment against the defendants, and each of  
26 them, as follows:

27 **ON ALL CAUSES OF ACTION**

1. For general damages in the amount according to proof;
2. For special damages for x-rays, medical and sundry expenses, according to proof;
3. For loss of earnings and earning capacity, according to proof;
4. For costs of suit incurred herein; and
5. For such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

Dated: March 17, 2020

LAW OFFICES OF ERIC BRYAN  
SEUTHE & ASSOCIATES



By: \_\_\_\_\_  
ERIC BRYAN SEUTHE  
TERRENCE I. SWINSON  
ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF



## PROOF OF SERVICE OF DOCUMENT

I am over the age of 18 and not a party to this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding. My business address is:

Law Offices Of Hagen & Hagen, 4559 San Blas Avenue, Woodland Hills, California 91364

A true and correct copy of the foregoing document entitled: **NOTICE OF MOTION FOR** (*specify name of motion*)  
By Defendant Ari David Alexenburg For Order Dismissing Complaint By Plaintiff Daphne Yadegar, Without Leave To  
Amend, For Failure To State A Claim For Relief Pursuant To Federal Rule Of Bankruptcy Procedure 7012(b)(6)  
will be served or was served **(a)** on the judge in chambers in the form and manner required by LBR 5005-2(d); and **(b)** in  
the manner stated below:

**1. TO BE SERVED BY THE COURT VIA NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING (NEF):** Pursuant to controlling General  
Orders and LBR, the foregoing document will be served by the court via NEF and hyperlink to the document. On (*date*)  
10/03/2022, I checked the CM/ECF docket for this bankruptcy case or adversary proceeding and determined that the  
following persons are on the Electronic Mail Notice List to receive NEF transmission at the email addresses stated below:

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**2. SERVED BY UNITED STATES MAIL:**

On (*date*) 10/03/2022, I served the following persons and/or entities at the last known addresses in this bankruptcy  
case or adversary proceeding by placing a true and correct copy thereof in a sealed envelope in the United States mail,  
first class, postage prepaid, and addressed as follows. Listing the judge here constitutes a declaration that mailing to the  
judge will be completed no later than 24 hours after the document is filed.

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**3. SERVED BY PERSONAL DELIVERY, OVERNIGHT MAIL, FACSIMILE TRANSMISSION OR EMAIL** (*state method  
for each person or entity served*): Pursuant to F.R.Civ.P. 5 and/or controlling LBR, on (*date*) \_\_\_\_\_, I served the  
following persons and/or entities by personal delivery, overnight mail service, or (for those who consented in writing to  
such service method), by facsimile transmission and/or email as follows. Listing the judge here constitutes a declaration  
that personal delivery on, or overnight mail to, the judge will be completed no later than 24 hours after the document is  
filed.

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

<u>10/03/2022</u>	<u>Jeffrey J Hagen</u>	<u>/s/ Jeffrey J Hagen</u>
<i>Date</i>	<i>Printed Name</i>	<i>Signature</i>

**SECTION I - TO BE SERVED BY THE COURT VIA NEF**

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**SECTION II - SERVED BY UNITED STATES MAIL OR OVERNIGHT MAIL**

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